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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA**

WHATABRANDS, LLC)	
)	
Plaintiff(s),)	
)	Case No.: 1:24-CV-482
v.)	
WHAT-A-BURGER #13, INC. et al.,)	
)	
Defendant(s).)	

**DISCLOSURE OF CORPORATE AFFILIATIONS AND OTHER
ENTITIES WITH A DIRECT FINANCIAL INTEREST IN LITIGATION**

PLEASE COMPLETE ONLY ONE FORM FOR EACH NON-GOVERNMENTAL CORPORATION, PARTNERSHIP, TRUST, LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY, OR OTHER SIMILAR ENTITY THAT IS A PARTY TO, OR THAT APPEARS IN, AN ACTION OR PROCEEDING IN THIS COURT. COUNSEL HAVE A CONTINUING DUTY TO UPDATE THIS INFORMATION. PLAINTIFF OR MOVING PARTY MUST SERVE THIS FORM ON THE DEFENDANT(S) OR RESPONDENT(S) WHEN INITIAL SERVICE IS MADE.

Whatabrands, LLC _____ who is Plaintiff _____,
(Name of Party) (Plaintiff/Moving Party or Defendant)

makes the following disclosure:

1. Is party a publicly held corporation or other publicly held entity?

() Yes (✓) No

2. Does party have any parent entities?

(✓) Yes () No

If yes, identify all parent entities including grandparent, great-grandparent, etc.: _____

Sunrise Group Holdings, LLC

3. Does party have any subsidiary or other affiliate entities (corporate or otherwise) that might be affected by the proceeding?

() Yes

(✓) No

If yes, identify all subsidiary or other affiliate entities (corporate or otherwise) that might be affected by the proceeding: _____

4. Is 10% or more of the stock of the party owned by a publicly held corporation or other publicly held entity?

() Yes

(✓) No

If yes, identify all such owners: _____

5. Is there any other publicly held corporation or other publicly held entity that has a direct financial interest in the outcome of the litigation?

() Yes

(✓) No

If yes, identify entity and nature of interest: _____

6. In all cases, pursuant to Fed.R.Civ.P.7.1(a)(2) and Local Rule 7.7(a)(2), the following is a list of all members or partners of Whatabrands LLC and, in diversity cases, their states of citizenship: _____ (name of LLC or LP party)

Sunrise Group Holdings, LLC (100%)

(name of member or partner)

_____ (state of citizenship)

_____ (name of member or partner)

_____ (state of citizenship)

_____ (name of member or partner)

_____ (state of citizenship)

_____ (name of member or partner)

_____ (state of citizenship)

Note: If there are additional members or partners, provide their names, and in diversity cases states of citizenship, on a separate page. If any of the members or partners are an LLC or LP, provide the names, and in diversity cases states of citizenship, of the members or partners on a separate page, using the same method to identify the citizenship of members or partners through any layered entities, traced back to corporations or individuals. *See Capps v. Newmark Southern Region, LLC*, No. 21-1196 (4th Cir. Nov. 16, 2022).

/s/ Kevin G. Williams

(Signature)

06/11/2024

(Date)